

## The Winning of Jim Bradley's Bride . . .

By W. R. D.

The season had yielded its usual small crop of cereals on the Bradley farm in that old New England community. As Jim, the eldest son, followed the plow through the wornout soil, breaking the field for the sowing of wheat, his disgust in existing conditions grew and multiplied. Every step seemed to fatigue him more in mind and body. His visions soared westward to virgin fields and vast ranches. Jim had been reading of the extensive ranches of the Indian Territory and it was there he wished to be. The fascination of the great West brought longing into his heart.

"Some day I am going to that country and have a fine farm and send for my folks," he mused to himself. "And I may have a wife, a pretty, dashing western girl. Who knows? Things like that do happen even to country boys like me. I have read of them." That night he talked the matter over with his mother.

"My boy, I do wish you would be satisfied to remain at home with us," she said, in her gentle manner of reproach. "I hate to have you go away out there and maybe get killed."

"My dear mother," the boy remonstrated. "You are all wrong about the people who live in the West today. They are not wild like they used to be. I can never be much better off here than I am now. The soil is worn out. I want a farm where the land is rich and fertile. I am fully determined to go out West. What say you mother?"

And Jim Bradley, overgrown and affectionate country lad, knelt before his good old mother, his blue eyes looking into her kindly face and pleading for consent. It was deep love that existed between these two, whose quiet life had been spent in that old New England community, far from the maddening strife of the world.

Jim was an industrious lad. He read the papers and achieved ambition. "It had long been a hobby with him to go West and buy a big farm, but his parents had strenuously objected to parting with their only child. He had trudged along in paths made by his father.

But now the important time had come to Jim. He was fast nearing his 21st birthday and would be his own boss in the future. A few days later father, mother and son talked the proposed emigration of the latter to the great West and with reluctance they consented.

With tears in her eyes and a trembling voice the dear old mother accompanied her son to the farm wagon and bade him good-bye, while the father drove him to the village depot at El Claire. Jim promised to write often and if his funds ran low the parents had promised to send him a ticket home. But Jim felt secure that he would never need to accept the ticket. He boarded the train with the feeling that he was going to win in his battle with the world.

It was a bleak December day when Jim piled out of a train at the little town of Red Fork, set high upon a rolling plain. The main street consisted of a few wooden stores, a calaboose set in the centre of the public square, and a dozen or more frame residences, known in the Indian Territory as shacks.

Day was just breaking in the east. But being Christmas morning the village was astir. From a ramshackled saloon ambled a number of cowboys who had spent the night in wild carousal. They made their way toward the calaboose, and after firing a few pistol shots to awake the jailer, by main force compelled him to give up two of his prisoners. They were cowboys from the XZ bar ranch, and were just pulling out for home. Jim eyed all of this askance from his place in the depot, and when the station agent told him such things were common, he was almost ready to bolt for home. But his pluck held him back and he decided to remain and "tough it out."

Red Fork was the gateway to the Osage and other Indian reservations, an end-of-the-trail town and headquarters of a number of cattle kings of the Southwest country. Here in the valley of the Verdigris was the finest pasture in all the great Southwest, which have since been converted into abundant producing wheat and cornfields. In the land of the primitive red man the Yankee farmer found himself surrounded by a strange people.

The morning air was bracing. A dull sky hung over Red Fork. Jim persuaded the agent to provide him breakfast and later the young man ventured to stroll through the town, searching for some one to give him employment.

The town soon began to fill with men in rough dress and clanking spurs. Few of them paid heed to the farmer lad. Finally he strolled into a store and questioned the storekeeper as to the most likely place of finding employment.

"What can you do?" said the storekeeper. "Are you a cow puncher?"

Jim was forced to admit his inexperience in throwing lassoes and riding after wild steers.

"Then you can do nothing here. Might as well move on into Texas, where they are beginning to farm." And the informant busied himself in waiting on a customer.

The newcomer happened to be one of the richest cattlemen in those parts. His name was Abner Wilson and he possessed at least 300,000 steers. The clerk, as new-found acquaintances in border countries often do, took an interest in Bradley and was telling Wilson what he wanted.

"Hell, we don't want farmers in this section," said the cattleman after a loud guffaw. "We want men who can sling lasses. You had better go back to Maine," volunteered the cattleman.

A flush mounted young Bradley's face. He felt that he had been insulted.

"Yes, you are cattlemen now," he said. "You would scorn the farmer. But just wait a few years. The farmers will drive you out of business. Mark these words." And he turned and left the room, while the crowd laughing in disapproval of his sentiment.

He was indeed surprised an hour later when the cattle king came to seek him out.

"Young man, I like your ways," he said. "I need a feller to do some plowing and the cowpunchers think they're too good to do farm work. If you'll agree to take the job, I'll see that you get just as much pay as they do. And honors will be about even, eh?"

Bradley accepted at once. It was a dull Christmas day for him but he was so busy he had little time to grow lonesome. When the cowboys returned the next day after a night of debauchery they paid no attention to him. They knew he had a "stand in" with the

boss and it would not be good policy to oppose his presence.

Winter passed as a very painful season to Bradley. His mother's letter of encouragement, which came every week, was the only light to his dull existence. When spring came he was given charge of 1,000 acre tract of virgin soil and told to put it in wheat. Additional help was needed and he was allowed to employ several industrious Indians of the neighborhood. The land under his direction changed in aspect rapidly. He toiled from dusk to twilight and kept the men under him employed as long as he worked. The soil gave way to the touch of the big four horse plows, and the spring wheat burst through earth when the first warm spring rains pattered down upon the newly broken fields. The soil responded to his touch and prospects such as were never known in New England loomed up before him. As the months passed Bradley himself changed. From a green country lad he fast matured into a shrewd

man and did their best playing, but endless discords were caused by undue craning of necks to get a glimpse of the maiden as she drove away, after gracefully thanking their speaker for the warm welcome. Tookah's skin was a creamy white and her dark brown hair set off a very pretty oval face. Big gray eyes glistened under dark eyelashes. Her petite figure was encased in a neat-fitting blue gown, and she carried herself with a proud and fashionable air, which made the heart of every cowboy swell with an ambition to become her sweetheart. They all fell in love with her. She favored none in the beginning.

Naturally, as they do things on the frontier, a big dance was planned in her honor and the country was raked with a fine tooth comb, for 50 miles around to bring together all of the girls worth meeting and knowing. Some of these were half-breeds, others were the wives of white cowboys and not a few of them were really as pretty as the daughter of the old chief. But inasmuch as she was new in the country, and accorded to be very wealthy and highly educated, naturally she became the belle of the occasion. Young Bradley, being a favored friend of the father, was first invited to the house. He accompanied Miss Tookah to the ball.

"My father has been telling me all about you," she said as they swung across the rough floor, the centre of all eyes. "I think that you are just the kind of a man they need out here."

Bradley stammered his thanks and tried to change the subject. But she was struck with his plans and wished to discuss them in detail. She said that it has long been a dream with her to convert the people of her adoption into a working class, but, being a woman and white, too, she could not control them. In Bradley she saw the realization of her dream and was not backward in telling him so. She scored the cattlemen roundly and said that the future of her people lie in their taking to farming, whereby they could make their lands pay them well, become self-supporting and industrious people. And so, as he had arisen in the good regard of the father, so did he with the adopted daughter. Day after day they talked over their plans and where Jim's education failed him, she could supply the mental calculations. Their plans were to convert the whole reservation of the Brushwater clan into one immense farm and shut out the cattlemen.

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about it to anyone except the girl, who was rapidly finding a place in his heart as well as in his business schemes. At first their conversations always related to the culmination of the one big idea, but after awhile they began to talk of other things, something nearer the heart than farms and Indians. Soon the Yankee farmer found himself deeply in love with the beautiful white girl whose fate had been so strangely cast among the red people. Her own parents she did not remember. To the Indians she belonged, but through her veins flowed the blood of a cultivated people, none the less.

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face immigrants. In her love for the white child Mrs. Red Tail displayed her only emotion to signify that she possessed a heart.

One day Red Tail gave out the news at the XZ Bar ranch that Tookah was soon to arrive. The news spread rapidly. There was a general cleaning of houses. The cowboys bought new clothing and stood in their best togs when the belle of the territory came to Red Fork. The girl made a favorable impression at once. The cowboy

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## WHO DO.

The men who do things, not the men who take it out in talking, are they who bring blessings to the world. Difficulties come to every man whether in business or in social life, and then it is that doing counts.

## THE LITTLE MAN.

It is the little man who never fails to take an opportunity to kick. Big men want to measure strength with the big men but the little man is always fault-finding, and "The town has gone to pieces and I am going to leave it." These men never go. It is the little man that never rises above difficulties.

## THOUGHTFUL.

Mr. Harper, most likely anticipating that something would happen to Senator J. C. S. Blackburn during the coming year, and provided him with a farm to be used as his own during his natural life. The farm contains 160 acres, and the Senator is well provided for.

## THE MAN WHO DRINKS.

Persons who regard the drink question as one of the national evils grow discouraged at times at the seeming indifference to their warnings. But when the great employers refuse work to the drinking man, when the great labor organizations withdraw their benefits from those addicted to the habit, and when the Governor of a great State declines to appoint men who are drinkers, it must surely be evident to all that temperance is marching on. At

the present rate of progress it will be but a few years until work in all branches will be refused the drinking man.—The Ledger, Noblesville, Ind.

Judge Thomas Paynter is growing in popularity and strength, and it now looks as if he will have an easy walkover. Of course it is expected the Eighth district would be for Mr. Blackburn, but he will have a struggle to control every county there.

## NOT MUCH.

From what the Morgan Messenger has to say we are constrained to the belief that Senator Blackburn will have a very light following in Eastern Kentucky. He hasn't done much to ingratiate himself into the hearts of Eastern Kentucky Democrats. In fact his utterances of a few years back are not forgotten, and Joe needn't count on much from that source.

## WILL THERE BE ANOTHER

It was mainly in both Mr. Thompson and Mr. Ecton to declare whom they would favor for United States Senator, and now since the people know how they stand it becomes the duty of the opposition and their privilege as well to put out a candidate who would reflect their choice. Both these candidates are for Mr. Blackburn and the question is, who are the people of this Senatorial district for?

## CHANGED.

The minds of a majority of the City Council has undergone a change, and the streets for the year 1905 will not be sprinkled unless the citizens and taxpayers pay for it themselves. If it was right to protect property from dust by drawing on the general fund during the years past it is right to do so now.

We believe the people of Mt. Sterling are paying sufficient into the City Treasury to continue sprinkling, and if they are not then we would advise that salaries be cut, fewer officers be used so that the property of our citizens may be protected and our visitors be permitted to go about our streets without having their eyes closed from dust. We offer these suggestions that the Council may consider what would be the greatest good to our citizens, many officials or less dust.

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## Operation Ends In Death.

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## Representative Howard Killed.

J. J. C. Howard, Representative in the Legislature from the London (Ky.) district, was shot and killed Monday in a saloon near his home in Clay county by Tilford Benge. The men quarreled and the trouble was thought to be over. Benge drew a pistol and fired five shots.

Have your carpets and rugs cleaned.  
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## Breathitt Man For Legislature.

In Beattyville, Ky., at the Republican convention for the legislative districts composed of Lee, Breathitt and Magoffin, John Griffith, of Breathitt, was unanimously nominated for the Legislature.

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## Bath County Levy.

The Bath County Court fixed the county tax levy for the ensuing year at \$1.60 on the \$100 valuation of property, and appropriated \$10,000 for improvements to the county turnpikes.

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## The Bryan Studio

## Echoes of the Wind.

A heavy wind passed over Central Kentucky on Monday afternoon. At Lexington the roof of the State College Old Dormitory was completely blown off and a fire chimney on new dormitory. One tobacco barn at Dossart, three in Scott, in Paris two smokestacks of Paris Distilling Co., a tobacco barn on farm of E. K. Thomas. At Carlisle the residence of J. H. Minogue was considerably damaged in the second story. Mrs. Minogue was Miss Bruton, of our city.

In this city some wires were broken by falling vines in burnt district and many eyes were dusted. The barn of Drennon Bros. on Grassy Lick pike, containing about 20,000 pounds of tobacco. Loss almost total.

Building Lots  
AT AUCTION.

On account of the failing health of myself and wife, I have decided to subdivide and sell my handsome suburban place on Mayville street at auction on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26, at 2 p. m. There will be twelve lots and my house. The lots are the nicest ever offered in Mt. Sterling. They are high above the street and will terrace nicely. I will deem it a personal favor if you will attend the sale and bring your friends. Your presence will be of advantage to me.

Yours respectfully,  
T. KELLY BARNES.  
D. S. HENRY, Sale Mgr. 35-37

## Interest In Local Option Election.

A special from Carlisle, Ky. on April 7, says: "The election on the 15th of this month on the local option question is growing warm. The union revival services which have been in progress for the past twelve days with two services a day, will continue over Sunday, and the warming up religiously will have much to do with the result on the 15th. The refusal of the City Council to grant liquor license last December has made a depleted treasury and left the balance on the wrong side of over \$5,000. The tax in the city, including State and school, now amounts to about \$2.05."

For the latest styles in wall paper decorations see Syracuse wall paper samples. Their agent, E. L. Brockway will be pleased to bring them to your house upon request. E. L. Brockway 37-17.

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Successor to Woodson Shovel  
Manufacturing, Repairing and General Machine Work.  
Agents For All Kinds of Machinery  
Mechanical & Electrical Supplies  
Office and shop, S. Mayville St., Opposite C. & O. Depot. 33-37  
T. M. RICKETTS, Mgr.  
MT. STERLING, KY.

## Lawyers Must Pay.

At Lexington Judge Parker decided that the city ordinance imposing an annual license of \$10 on lawyers is valid.

Insurance, Real Estate,  
ADVICE. MONEY.

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& SONS COMPANY.

H. CLAY MCKEE, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.  
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They have Money, and plenty of it, to loan on good gilt-edged collateral. No Red-tape. No "Meeting of the Board." Do you want to Loan or Borrow? If so, "Press the Button" they'll do the rest.

Unless you MEAN BUSINESS don't talk to them, as they are busy attending to their own business.  
"Tell your friends to call on a Policeman," but if you are in need of any of the foregoing, jump into the emergency wagon and run to No. 15 W. Main St. or "Ring the Bell" No. 107—they'll find the Man, the Place, and the Money.  
"They Will" MEAN BUSINESS.

TOO LONG in Business to need reference.

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IRON FENCING.

The Mt. Sterling Marble & Granite Co., W. Main St., Mt. Sterling, Ky., are prepared to furnish you anything for the Cemetery. Granite and Marble, Foreign or Domestic Ornaments, Vases, Iron Fencing.

Why are you to stay? Guarantee the work, Quality and Prices; Have their own shop; buy from the quarries; save the discount; pay cash; no credit; day no commission to agents or tramps; try no results. Are prepared to save you from 25 to 40 per cent. on your work.

Why go to the city, or buy of a tramp, when you have responsible people at your door anxious, ready and willing to give you "a square deal"?

DESIRABLE  
BUILDING LOTS  
For Sale.

I will offer at Public Sale on MONDAY, APRIL 17, at 2 o'clock p. m., several desirable building lots on North Spycamore street opposite Holt avenue. Plot of lots can be seen at my office. Will sell above as a whole if desired.

Terms made known day of sale.  
R. Q. DRAKE.

## WHITE LEGHORNS.

VERNER FOGG has for sale eggs from the single White Leghorn—15¢ the egg; the setting for \$1.50 for \$2.50 or 100 for \$4. Peking Ducks—\$1.50 per setting of 11 eggs or two settings for \$2.75. Also sells Cyphers Incubators and brooders. Mt. Sterling, Ky.  
R. F. D. No. 5.  
32-121 Phone No. 713.

## New Firm In Paris.

On last Wednesday J. L. McCormick and O. E. Lyons, of this city, closed a deal for the Timpin Lumber Co. plant at Paris, Ky., and are now in possession. Mr. McCormick went to Paris on yesterday, expecting invoice to be finished. Mr. Lyons will be in charge of the plant. These gentlemen are experienced in this line of trade, are highly esteemed, worthy gentlemen, and we take pleasure in commending them to the people of Bourbon.

WE ESPECIALLY INVITE THE FARMERS TO COME TO TOWN, BUY LOTS AND BUILD HOMES FOR THEMSELVES AND ENJOY YOUR CHILDREN. WE HAVE 6,000 SCHOOLS AND CHURCHES. BARNES RIGHTS ADDITION TO MT. STERLING WILL AFFORD YOU AN OPPORTUNITY TO BUY HANDSOME LOTS CHEAP. AUCTION SALE APRIL 26TH AT 2:00 P. M.

## GREAT SACRIFICE.

\$20,000 WORTH BOYS AND CHILDREN'S CLOTHING  
At less than Manufacturer's Prices.

We are badly overstocked in this department, and have  
**CUT THE PRICE TO THE CORE.**

Mothers and fathers, we can interest you. Come quick  
and secure bargains.

Boys Suits, Short Pants, costing from \$1.00 to \$2.00  
and \$3.00 at . . . . . **50 Cents**  
Our \$3.00 and \$5.00 Boys Suits, Short Pants, at . . . **\$2.00**  
Our Boys Long Pant Suits, \$4.50 and \$7 at . . . . . **2.50**  
Our \$9, \$10 and \$12 Long Pant Boys Suits at . . . . . **5.00**  
Best \$1.50 Corduroy Pants at . . . . . **1-12**  
Our \$1.25 Corduroy Pants at . . . . . **87**

This is a Great Sacrifice Sale. Come quick and  
secure bargains.

**Louis & Gus Straus,**

**Leading Clothiers, Lexington, Ky.**

—SOLE AGENTS—

For Alfred Benjamin & Co's Correct Clothing for Men. We are now  
displaying the Spring Styles. RICHARD SHYLOCK, the  
famous Blue Grass Cutter, has charge of our Merchant Tailor-  
ing Department. Give him a call.

HAVE YOU HEARD OF BARNES HIGHS  
ADDITION TO MT. STERLING? LOTS ARE  
BEAUTIFUL AND PRICE WILL BE LOW  
ENOUGH TO MAKE YOU MONEY. AUCTION  
SALE APRIL 26, 2:30 P. M. 38-3t

### Expense Allowances.

The government allows on her  
expense fund for employees: bath,  
laundry, railroad and steamboat  
fare, expense from depot to hotel,  
street car fare and if there be  
neither omnibus nor street cars  
then he may ride in carriage, hotel  
bills, modest tips to waiters, par-  
lor cars, berths on sleepers. No  
drinks are mentioned. Receipts  
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Latest styles in wall paper of all  
grades and all prices. Paper re-  
ceived in two days after ordering.  
No delay. Samples cheerfully  
furnished on request.

37 tf. E. L. Brockway.

### Nervous School Children.

Statistics gathered by various  
School Boards, show that a large  
percentage of school children suffer  
from different forms of nervous-  
ness, mild or exaggerated. Some  
showed a tendency to melancholy,  
others mental depression, and many  
the nervous twitchings of mild  
chorea, or St. Vitus' dance. Most  
of these troubles can be overcome  
by proper food, sufficient sleep, and  
Dr. Caldwell's (laxative) Syrup  
Pepsin. It is a universal children's  
medicine, because, if good food is  
eaten, it insures that the food is  
properly digested and indigestion  
and nerve poisons properly thrown  
out. It is pleasant to take, and  
safe and sure in results. Try it.  
Sold by W. S. Lloyd at 50c and  
\$1.00. Money back if it fails.

### For Sale.

A number one type writer in  
good condition; will sell it for \$30.  
Terms, a small cash payment bal-  
ance in weekly or monthly pay-  
ments; so that this machine and  
day for itself. Apply at this office

### Makes Provision for Senator J. C. S. Blackburn.

Frank B. Harper, owner of Nan-  
tura Stock Farm, near Versailles  
died last week. To his sisters,  
Mrs. Owsley, of Midway, and Mrs.  
Moore, of Georgetown, he left nothing.

### THE REQUEST.

Natura Farm, six hundred  
acres, with furnishings, silver, tro-  
phies, etc., goes to Frank Harper  
Hawkins, son of Harper's niece.  
His brother, Clinton Hawkins,  
Jr., receives the Wallace place, of  
four hundred acres.

Senator Blackburn, Harper's  
friend, is given a life interest in the  
Spring Station farm of one hun-  
dred and sixty acres. After the  
death of Senator Blackburn, the  
farm goes to the Senator's little  
grand-daughter.

Twenty-five hundred dollars is  
left to Susan Stafford.

The children of Mrs. Wm. Bailey  
and Mrs. Thomas Hawkins, other  
nieces of the deceased, get cash,  
bonds and stock.

### Travel via the Iron Mountain Route to Mexico City.

New double daily through service  
between St. Louis and the City of Mexico  
—over nineteen hours travel, via Jaredeo  
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mation, address: A. A. GALLAGHER, D. P.  
A., 419 Walnut St., Cincinnati, O. [31t

### Can't Enter Field.

At Frankfort, Ky., on April 7,  
State Insurance Commissioner  
Prewitt declined to authorize the  
American Birth Insurance Compa-  
ny, of Boston, Mass., a new and  
novel plan in the insurance world,  
to enter the Kentucky field and

solicit business. He rules that he  
cannot give such authority under  
terms of the Kentucky Statutes set-  
tling forth the several classes of in-  
surance allowed to be solicited, and  
the Commissioner having full  
power in the matter, the new idea  
cannot get into the State unless it  
secures an amendment to the pre-  
sent laws.

The new company was organized  
recently by women and insures  
only women. Its president is  
Estelle M. H. Merrill, of Boston,  
and only members of the American  
Parents' Educational Association are  
eligible for insurance under its  
charter. It is a mutual company  
and the policy provisions are for  
the protection of women and legiti-  
mate children born to them. A  
monthly assessment of \$3 is made  
on the policy-holders, and after  
ten monthly assessments have been  
paid, the insured, on the birth of a  
child, is entitled to receive \$200;  
if after nineteen monthly assess-  
ments have been paid, \$300; if  
after twenty-eight monthly assess-  
ments, \$400, and if after thirty-  
seven monthly assessments, \$500.  
For subsequent birth, eighteen  
months elapsing between each, the  
policy-holders receive \$300 each.  
The company is managed by women  
and its officers receive a compensa-  
tion.

### Stock Sale Day.

On Saturday before each County  
Court day there will be a stock sale  
at my farm in Jeffersonville.  
Home dealers should remember  
this. S. M. Wireman. 37-1-yr.

### How a City Wins.

A banquet was given by the  
Commercial Club of Indianapolis in  
honor of Hon. John L. Griffiths,  
who will soon leave for Liverpool  
where he will become United States  
Consul. Mr. Griffiths spoke on the  
subject, "How a City Wins" and  
among other things said:

"One way to make a city win is  
to speak of it not disparagingly or  
boastfully, but always hopefully  
and affectionately.

"A city can never win unless it  
is wisely governed, and to be wisely  
governed its officers must be  
chosen with reference to municipal  
needs and not with reference to  
State or national politics.

"The imperative duty of the citi-  
zen is to take an interest in affairs,  
to be an active participant, not a  
good-natured spectator or a carping  
critic."

Here is food for thought for all  
cities, small or large. If we desire  
other people to locate with us we  
must speak in hopeful and affec-  
tionate terms of our city. Carping  
criticism will do great harm. The  
captious and suspicious faultfinder  
is a nuisance in any community.  
The soured and disgruntled person  
who is ever kicking his more suc-  
cessful neighbor is a load to any  
city. The spirit of carping criticism  
has done much to mar the  
progress of our own as well as  
other cities."—The Ledger, Nobles  
ville, Ind.

The Ledger reflects our senti-  
ments to a dot.

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Let us show you our line of Bedroom Suits, Din-  
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Cheap land, producing almost  
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Unexcelled for raising fruits and  
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that can be bought for \$5 to \$10  
per acre can be made to yield \$100  
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truck farm.

First and third Tuesday of each  
month we sell homesaker's tickets  
from Memphis and Cairo at one  
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April 4th and 18th special low  
round trip rates—less than one way  
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phis and Cairo to points in Texas.  
Low rates in proportion from  
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Literature descriptive of above  
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The great iron and tonic pill and restorative for men and women, produces  
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The "Florida Limited" solid train of finest Pullman Drawing Room Sleepers and vestibuled coaches with Dinner Car service enroute, leaves Cincinnati every morning via Queen & Crescent Route, running through without change to Jacksonville, via Chattanooga and Southern Railway.

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Through Pullman sleepers to Jacksonville from Cincinnati every evening via Knoxville, Asheville and Savannah.

From Louisville, connection with all of the above trains is made at Lexington by train of Southern Railway.

For "and of the Sky" book, "Winter Homes" folder, Rates, Schedules or other information, address

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"Nerve troubles are easily cured," continued Mr. Lloyd. "It is simply a case of treating the general weakness, not the nerves alone, and that is just what Vinol does in the most direct and simple manner possible. It cures nerve troubles because it builds one up and makes one strong all over. It invigorates the entire nervous system, makes new blood and vitality."

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Such letters as the following prove what Vinol will do: Mrs. Elizabeth Richards of 83 E. Montclair St., Detroit, Mich., writes: "I was very weak and suffered from nervous prostration, tried all sorts of medicines without relief. I have now taken four bottles of Vinol, and it has brought back my health and strength."

Miss Lizzie Leary of Burlington, Vt., says she was a nervous wreck, and Vinol restored her to perfect health.

Miss Edythe M. Perry, of St. Paul, Minn., says Vinol cured her of nervousness and insomnia.

And so we might go on quoting from hundreds of just such letters, and it is for this reason that we say to every nervous, run down and debilitated person in Mt. Sterling, try Vinol, and if it does not cure you, come back and get your money. W. S. Lloyd, Druggist.

## Steam Yacht Equipped For Purpose of Running Down Smugglers.

A trim yacht, the *Oriente*, built on the lines of a torpedo boat and representing the navy of the Panama Republic, will sail for Colon April 15. The yacht is well equipped with rapid fire guns, search lights and wireless telegraph in command of Captain Lovelace, formerly of Kansas City, she will make a business of running down smugglers and keeping order among the Indians along the eastern shores of the Isthmus.

The lack of revenue cutters on the Atlantic coast of the Isthmus has meant a considerable loss to the government in customs revenues. Between Colon and the River Atrato lies one of the richest cocaine regions in the world. This steamer strip of coast land is occupied almost solely by the San Brazilian Indians, who derive a profitable trade with smugglers from Curacao, Jamaica and the islands of St. Andrew. These smugglers exchange merchandise for coconuts, ivory nuts and tortoise shells.

Last year 7,000,000 coconuts were exported from the coast all paid for by merchandise from which the government of Panama has not derived a centavo of customs revenue.

It's the little colds that grow into big colds; the big colds that end in consumption and death. Watch the little colds. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. 38 4t

## Paint Economy.

You might as well make your paint money go as far as possible. Use Green Seal Liquid Paint and you won't complain of the distance. For sale by Thos. Kennedy.

## MURRAH FOR KENTUCKY

ONE COUNTRY FOR ALL AMERICANS.

On Tuesday, April 4, President Roosevelt visited Louisville. An immense crowd was in the city to welcome him. Along the line of parade the crowd at one point was made up of 1,350 school boys and girls who sang "My Old Kentucky Home." The President arose in his carriage, hat in hand, and exclaimed: "Well, this is a welcome! Hurrah for Kentucky!"

The President was introduced as follows by Gov. Beckham: "Ladies and Gentlemen: Not only the people of Louisville, but the people of all Kentucky rejoice today in welcoming among us the President of this great republic. Regardless of all political differences we are here to do honor, not only to the Chief Magistrate of this country, but also to Theodore Roosevelt, the man. (Great applause.)"

"We recognize his eminent patriotism, his integrity, his fearlessness, and we all believe him to be a friend of the great common people throughout this country. We also look forward to him during the next four years as the ruler of this republic, to obliterate the last faint line of sectional differences that may exist in this country. (Applause.) I believe that it is in the power of this great man, who more than any President since the big brained and big hearted Lincoln, holds the affections and the confidence of the people of this country—I say, I believe it is more in his power than in the power of any other man to establish beyond question the fact that there is no North, no South, no East and no West in this country. (Applause.)"

"I shall not withhold longer the chief attraction of this occasion, and I present to you the President of the United States, the Hon. Theodore Roosevelt." (Loud and prolonged applause.)

**PRESIDENT'S SPEECH.**  
President Roosevelt responded: "Governor Beckham, and you, my fellow Americans. (Applause.) Surely any man would indeed be gratified to be greeted in this way by such an audience, and be introduced as you have introduced me, Governor Beckham. (Applause.)"

"As the Governor has so well said upon all the important questions, the questions that infinitely transcend mere partisan differences, we are fundamentally one. (Applause.)"

"For in the questions of foreign and internal politics, the points upon which there can be no proper division on party lines infinitely exceed in number those upon which there can be such division, and, Governor Beckham, I shall do all that in me lies to justify the hope to which you have given expression and to try to show myself the President of all the people of the United States. (Prolonged applause.)"

"And naturally, I feel particularly gratified at seeing here, today, joined in this procession, the men who were the Blue and the men who were the Gray. (Great applause.)"

"In the dark days—now, keep just as quiet as you can; you won't be able to do anything more than see me, anyhow. (Laughter and applause.) In the dark days each of you fought for the right as it was given him to see the right (a voice, 'That's right'), and each of you has left us the right to feel pride not only in your valor, but in your devotion to what you conscientiously believe your duty. (Great applause.)"

"NOW WE ARE ONE."

"And now we are all one. (Cheers and long continued applause.) and as a reunited people we have the right to feel the same pride in the valor of the man who conscientiously risked his life in

## WHAT IS CATARRH?

Hymel Cures This Common and Disagreeable Disease.

Hymel cures catarrh by the simple method of breathing it into the air passages and lungs. It kills the germs of the catarrhal poison, heals and soothes the irritated mucous membrane, enters the blood with the oxygen and kills the germs present there, effectually driving this disease from the system.

If you have any of the following symptoms, catarrhal germs are at work somewhere in the mucous membrane of the nose, throat, bronchial tubes or tissue of the lungs.

Offensive breath  
Injury of the nose  
Pain across the eyes  
Pain in back of the head  
Pain in front of the head  
Tendency to take cold  
Burning pain in the throat  
Hoarseness  
Coughing at times  
Variety of mucus  
Spitting of blood  
Loss of voice  
Loss of strength  
Nervousness  
Cough short and hacking  
Cough worse at night and morning  
Loss of vital force  
A feeling of dryness across the upper part of the chest  
Hymel will cure the disease, destroy activity of all germ life in the respiratory organs, enrich and purify the blood with additional ozone, and after a few days use of this treatment the majority of these symptoms will have disappeared. In a few weeks the cure will be complete.

Catarrh or catarrhal colds cannot exist when Hymel is used. This is a strong statement, but W. S. Lloyd emphasizes it by agreeing to refund your money if Hymel does not cure. [mar22 a12]

The Confederate uniform, that we have in the man who fought in the Blue. (Applause.) And as I passed by your ranks, oh, my friends in Gray, today, and saluted the flag of our country, held up by a man in the gray uniform, I felt that indeed we are one, and that we have been able to show mankind that the greatest war of the century can be followed by the most perfect union that any nation now knows. (Great applause.)

"And in coming to this great and beautiful city of yours, I wish to congratulate you upon the historic—keep quiet please, there are ladies here. He just as quiet as possible. And there are small folks present, and if each one will keep in his place the crowd won't sway. Keep quiet there—don't move up and down."

"I am glad, as I say, of the spirit that makes you wish to dedicate statues like this of Jefferson, like the great statue of Clay on the other side of the court house. It is a fine thing to keep to a sense of historic continuity with the past, and there is one statue that I wish the member in the National Congress from Kentucky to see is put up by the national government, and that is a national statue to Andrew Jackson and the victors of the battle of New Orleans. The fight at New Orleans was one in which the whole nation has a cure, as far as the glory and the profit went, and the whole nation, and not any one State, should join in putting that statue up."

"Now, I am going to say goodbye, because there is a little movement here, and it will be better for the women and the small people, if I let you get away. Good-by." (Cheers and long continued applause.)

Eczema, scald head, hives, itching of the skin of any sort, instantly relieved, permanently cured. Doan's Ointment. At any drug store. 38 4t

We know men who exhaust their cheerfulness at the office and turn on the trouble faucet at home. A lazy liver makes a lazy man. Burdock Blood Bitters is the natural, never failing remedy for a lazy liver. 38 4t

He who works with his heart will always have work for his hands:

## I. J. JONES, LIVERY, FEED and SALE STABLE

OWINGVILLE, KY.

New location: Henry Street. Regular Bus Line carries mail between Owingville and Preston.

Telephone connection with Western Union office at Preston. Conveyance for trucks will meet druggists at Mt. Sterling if desired.

Ample stalls for Court-day—horses fed or put to hay.

## H. M. BENTON, Real Estate and Insurance Agent, WINCHESTER, KY.

Have a detailed list of CITY PROPERTY and WORTHY LANDS. See me for what you want. 38t

## BOURBON FARM FOR SALE!

Contains 148 acres, good land, well watered. Has on it a tobacco barn holding 8 acres. Good tenant house. The land will grow hemp, corn and tobacco. Will sell worth the money.

For further information call on or address

DR. W. C. WILKERSON, LITTLE ROCK, KY.

"To-morrow" is the reef that has cost the life of many a business man.

## Frankfort & Cincinnati Ry.

"THE MIDLAND ROUTE."

LOCAL TIME TABLE

IN EFFECT JANUARY 11, 1904.

M. & M. No.	DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY	A. M. P. M.
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## C. & O. Time Table.

EAST BOUND

ARRIVE

No. 26—Ashland Accommodation..... 8:30 a.m.  
No. 26—New York Express..... 11:15 p.m.  
No. 26—Mt. Sterling Accommodation..... 1:20 p.m.  
No. 26—New York Express..... 8:45 p.m.

WEST BOUND

No. 27—Lexington Accommodation..... 1:20 a.m.  
No. 27—Louisville Express..... 1:15 p.m.  
No. 27—Lexington Accommodation..... 3:15 p.m.  
No. 27—Louisville Express..... 4:30 p.m.

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Wanted.

To buy a farm, good soil and improvements, near churches and that will cost not exceeding \$5,000. Call or address Advertising Office Mt. Sterling, Ky.

Ordinary household accidents have no terrors when there's a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Eucletic in the medicine chest. Heals burns, cuts, bruises, sprains. Instant relief. 38 4t

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# Home Made

Have your cake, muffins, and tea biscuit home-made. They will be fresher, cleaner, more tasty and wholesome.

Royal Baking Powder helps the housewife to produce at home, quickly and economically, fine and tasty cake, the raised hot-biscuit, puddings, the frosted layer-cake, crisp cookies, crullers, crusts and muffins, with which the ready-made food found at the bake-shop or grocery does not compare.

Royal is the greatest of bake-day helps.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

FOR SALE.—One of the most beautiful, commodious, convenient suburban houses about Mt. Sterling. House is new and modern in construction, containing 8 rooms, reception hall 14x18 feet, upper hall same size, and lower and up per back hall 9x10 feet, and bath room 6x10 feet, and two stair ways, front and back, large ver andas, front and side, and large back porch and one of the best cellars in the county 14x18 feet. Fine eastern in yard, and also one at barn. Also wash house, smoke house, poultry house, barn, and other out houses, all new. Fine orchard of apples, pears, plums, peaches, grapes, cherries, etc., with 8 acres of fine land. 1916

Many prayers for blessings are but requests for burdens.

Nothing helps me to see together better than serving together.

## The Luxury of Living.

You will never know until you have an abundant supply of water in your home. When you consider that we do the pumping all the year round, and that your water supply is always under pressure, there is

### Nothing So Cheap

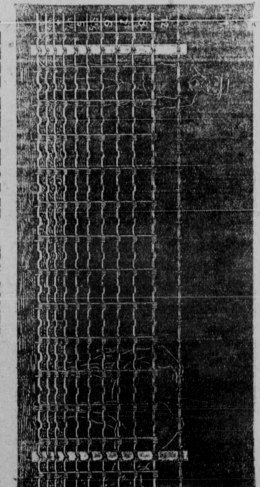
In all your living expenses as the water supply from our mains. You may have water for sprinkling the street and lawn, a faucet in the kitchen, another in your stable, and the charge is

### Only \$12 Per Year

FOR 30,000 GALLONS. With the bath-room connected the cost is \$16 and the allowance 40,000 gallons. The first cost of installing the water is about the same as building a new cistern. Come in and talk about it anyhow, or see your plumber.

**Mt. Sterling Water, Light & Ice Company,**  
Office on Court Street.

**AFTER THE HOLIDAYS COMES the stern realities of Life.**  
Among the many pleasant things which we have to encounter is  
**THE FENCE BUILDING CO.**  
We have the goods that makes this job a pleasure instead of a dread. Inves tigate the merits of the KOLAT SHING STEEL FENCE. We have it in all sizes, shapes and kinds. Come in and let us figure with you.  
**Allen G. Prewitt.**



## PERSONNEL OF CANAL COMMISSION.

Shonts Chairman At Salary of \$30,000 a Year.

The personnel of the new Isthmian Canal Commission is as follows:

Theo. P. Shonts, Chairman.  
Charles E. Magoon, Governor of Canal Zone.

John F. Wallace, Chief Engineer.

Rear Admiral M. T. Endicott, U. S. N.

Brig. Gen. Peter C. Hains, U. S. A., retired.

Col. Oswald M. Earnest, Corps Engineers, U. S. A.

Benj. M. Harrod.

These names were announced at the War Department April 3, and, in connection with the announce ment, Secretary Taft gave out for publication a statement.

"The President has made an order allowing a salary of \$7,500 with traveling expenses to each member of the commission, and to the chairman of the commission the additional compensation of \$22,500, to the chief engineer, the additional compensation of \$17,500, and to the Governor of the zone the additional compensation of \$10,000.

The head of each department is al lowed the use of a furnished house upon the isthmus, and his traveling ex penses when traveling on busi ness of the commission.

"The total of \$102,500. The salaries and allowances under the former commission amounted to \$120,000. The total compen sation of the Governor of the zone and the chief engineer are in effect un changed.

"Prof. William H. Burr and Mr. William Barclay Parsons, civil engineers, will be appointed as members of the Consulting Board of Engineers."

### A DANGEROUS HABIT.

Gladstone's Physician Gives Warning Against a Growing Amer ican Custom.

The growing habit amongst Amer icans of taking a mint tablet or some other so called digestive after eating a hearty meal, is something that Sir Andrew Clarke, Mr. Glad stone's physician advises strongly against, saying: "It is absolutely dangerous to take into the stomach remedies which are popularly sup posed to aid in the digestion of food."

There is nothing known to the science of medicine that can per form the work of the human stom ach. Drugs do not and cannot di gest the food. They simply de compose it. What can be more re volving or disgusting than the thought of taking something into the stomach that is going to turn the good food you have eaten into a mass of corruption.

The only way to overcome indi gestion and its evil effects is to re move all irritation, congestion and inflammation from the stomach, liver and intestines, and Mi-o-na is the only agent known that will do this.

When a Mi-o-na tablet is taken before each meal every trace of ir ritation and inflammation is re moved from the stomach and digestive system, and those organs will ex tract from the food all that goes to make good, rich blood, firm muscle, steady nerves and a sound healthy body. If you suffer with head aches, indigestion, flatulency, spots before the eyes, vertigo, or dizzi ness, palpitation of the heart, sleep lessness, or any stomach trouble, get a fifty cent box of Mi-o-na from W. S. Lloyd, one of our most reli able druggists, whose faith in the remedy is shown by his offer to re turn the money if Mi-o-na does not give complete satisfaction.

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The reform that begins in the home is usually a reform based on a solid foundation.

There's always room for two on the narrow way.

## Coffee Tax May Be Imposed To Encourage Development Of Island Possessions.

Secretary Willson, who has given closer attention to all questions pertaining to agricultural products than probably any other man in the country, favors the develop ment of the coffee growing indus try in the possessions of the United States, with the end in view of supplying the American market and producing a condition that will put money in the pockets of the islands who are dependent upon it. He believes in creating a market by admitting this coffee free and taxing that from other countries. Secretary Willson be lieves that the sugar best industry is bound to grow until the home production will supply the United States to the exclusion of that from the Philippines and elsewhere and because of this condition it is bad policy to permit the islanders to believe that sugar is to be the mainstay of their support.

"There is positively no doubt that the very highest grade of coffee can be successfully and very profitably grown in Porto Rico, Hawaii and the Philippines," said Secretary Willson. "The experts of the Agricultural Department are now in Porto Rico and Hawaii making a special study of this plant, and teaching the natives im proved methods in its cultivation."

"Some of the finest coffee in our market comes from Java, and the Philippines can produce equally as good if the natives are taught how to handle the product properly. Coffee cannot be grown save in a region absolutely remote from dan ger of frost. For that reason it cannot be raised anywhere within the States."

## An Indisputable SAFE INVESTMENT

The material progress which our country is now, and has been making for the past decade of years, naturally brings to the surface numerous schemes of the "get-rich-quick" character that benefit only the promoters of such, at the expense of innocent investors.

In this age of genuine prosperity with every legitimate business boom ing, wages high, work in abundance, giving employment to all willing to earn, and products of the farm bring ing best prices; there is little or no excuse for one not to join the army of money-makers.

The first and safest investment to make is to become a reader of the CINCINNATI ENQUIRER, the greatest and most reliable newspaper in the United States. With the facts, truth and information gleaned from its col umns, one may become well qualified to reach out and secure his share of profit that always accrues from invest ments intelligently made.

The WEEKLY ENQUIRER costs but one dollar for one year's term. The SUNDAY ENQUIRER costs you two dol lars for a year. The DAILY ENQUIRER (7 issues a week) you get for fourteen dollars a year.

Without the aid of a first-class newspaper, success in any enterprise becomes problematical. For ten cents you can secure a sample copy of each, DAILY, SUNDAY and WEEKLY ENQUIRER. Address,

Enquirer Company, Cincinnati, Ohio.

### House Owners

Should protect their property from poor paint; one way of saying that they should specify Green Seal Liquid Paint in their contracts. For sale by Thos. Kennedy.

It takes more love to say "No" than it does to say "Yes."

### The Maker's Guarantee

Is back of every gallon of Green Seal Liquid Paint. Doesn't make the paint any better; but makes you safe in using it. For sale by Thos. Kennedy.

When a man pretends to the Lord that he is poor the Lord is likely to take it as a petition to make him so.—Henry F. Cope, in Chicago Tribune.

A form of faith is apt to be a figure of speech.

## Tired Nervous

When you feel languid, tired, nervous and irritable, your vitality is low—your supply of nerve energy exhausted, and your system running down for lack of power.

The organs of the body are working poorly, or not at all, and you are not getting the nourishment needed. This soon impoverishes the blood and in stead of throwing off the im purities, distributes it all through the body. This brings disease and misery.

Feed the nerves with Dr. Miles' Nerve, a nerve food, a nerve medicine, that nourishes and strengthens the nerves, and see how quickly you will get strong and vigorous.

"My wife suffered with nervousness previous to a recent attack of typhoid fever, and after recovery from the fever, she was much worse, and could hardly control herself being exceedingly nervous when the least excited. She was all night and never had a good night's rest. She was nervous and irritable, and Dr. Miles' Nerve was recom mended to her. After the first three doses she had a good night's rest, and at the end of the first week's treatment she was wonderfully im proved. Dr. Miles' Nerve has completed her entire cure."

1021 Cherry St., Evansville, Ind.  
Dr. Miles' Nerve is sold by your druggist, who will guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. If it fails, he will refund your money.  
Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

### Carnegie's Second Gift.

Andrew Carnegie has made a contribution of \$25,000 to be used for the erection of a library build ing at the National Soldiers' Home at Danville, Ill. The offer has been accepted. This is his second con tribution to Danville, a \$40,000 city library now being in operation.

### A Gallon of Green Seal Paint

Is a gallon of heavy bodied paint and when thinned up according to directions on every package, is the most economical paint made. For sale by Thos. Kennedy.

Political iniquity can only devel op by permission of private indiffer ence.

### Green Seal Liquid Paint

Is cheap only in price. There is no economy in things that are cheap in quality. "Green Seal" is the best paint. Costs no more than the others. For sale by Thos. Kennedy.

It is better to make God your wealth than to make wealth your God.

### Fixing Things Up

For Spring may be accomplished with greater ease and better results by using Green Seal Liquid Paint than by any other means. For sale by Thos. Kennedy.

No man can sacrifice himself un til he appreciates himself.

## LIVER TROUBLES

"I find Theford's Black-Draught a good medicine for liver disease. I used it once after I had been sick with doctors. It is all the medicine I need.—MRS. CAROLINE MARTIN, Parkersburg, W. Va.

If your liver does not act reg ularly go to your druggist and secure a package of Theford's Black-Draught and take a dose tonight. This great family medicine frees the congested bowels, stirs up the torpid liver and causes a healthy secretion of bile.

Theford's Black-Draught will cleanse the bowels of im purities and strengthen the kid neys. A torpid liver invites colds, biliousness, chills and fever and all manner of sick ness and constipation. Weak kid neys result in Bright's disease which claims as many victims as consumption. A 25-cent package of Theford's Black-Draught should always be kept in the house.

Theford's Black-Draught for liver and kidney complaint is the best medicine in the world.—WILLIAM COFFMAN, Mac-holm, Ill.

## Lexington & Eastern R'y

### WINTER TIME TABLE.

Effective May 22, 1904.

### East-Bound.

STATIONS.	No. 1, No. 4	No. 2, No. 3
	Exps.	Exps.
Lexington.....	7:25 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
Monticello.....	7:40 A. M.	8:00 A. M.
Avon.....	7:55 A. M.	8:15 A. M.
Winchester.....	8:10 A. M.	8:30 A. M.
Cambridge.....	8:25 A. M.	8:45 A. M.
Indian Fields.....	8:40 A. M.	9:00 A. M.
Clay City.....	8:55 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
Stanton.....	9:10 A. M.	9:30 A. M.
Union Field.....	9:25 A. M.	9:45 A. M.
W. Va. Bridge.....	9:40 A. M.	10:00 A. M.
Front.....	9:55 A. M.	10:15 A. M.
Marshall.....	10:10 A. M.	10:30 A. M.
Marshall Junction.....	10:25 A. M.	10:45 A. M.
W. St. James.....	10:40 A. M.	11:00 A. M.
Front.....	10:55 A. M.	11:15 A. M.
Abell.....	11:10 A. M.	11:30 A. M.
Cambridge.....	11:25 A. M.	11:45 A. M.
Elkhart.....	11:40 A. M.	12:00 P. M.
Elkhart Junction.....	11:55 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
At Jackson.....	12:10 P. M.	12:30 P. M.

### West-Bound.

STATIONS.	No. 1, No. 4	No. 2, No. 3
At Jackson.....	6:20 A. M.	6:25 A. M.
O. & R. Junction.....	6:30 A. M.	6:35 A. M.
Oakdale.....	6:40 A. M.	6:45 A. M.
Athol.....	6:50 A. M.	6:55 A. M.
St. Helena.....	7:00 A. M.	7:05 A. M.
Northville Junction.....	7:10 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
At Fiskeville.....	7:20 A. M.	7:25 A. M.
Current.....	7:30 A. M.	7:35 A. M.
Glencairn.....	7:40 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
Natural Bridge.....	7:50 A. M.	7:55 A. M.
Dundee.....	8:00 A. M.	8:05 A. M.
Cambridge.....	8:10 A. M.	8:15 A. M.
Fiskeville.....	8:20 A. M.	8:25 A. M.
Roselynn.....	8:30 A. M.	8:35 A. M.
Clay City.....	8:40 A. M.	8:45 A. M.
Indian Fields.....	8:50 A. M.	8:55 A. M.
L. & E. Junction.....	9:00 A. M.	9:05 A. M.
Winchester.....	9:10 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
Wyandotte.....	9:20 A. M.	9:25 A. M.
Montrose.....	9:30 A. M.	9:35 A. M.



## Smart Dressers

You Men are, as a general thing, the smartest dressers. The up-to-the-moment Young Man is a sort of lexicon of clothes style and correctness. He knows what's what and gets it.

But good fit, the newest colors, patterns, etc., aren't enough; for, unless that snappy, jaunty appearance—characteristic of our excellent Tailor Made Clothing—is there it isn't what the Young Man wants.

Our success in pleasing Young Men is not just "luck." It's due to our knowledge of what the Young Man wants and our



### Ability to Provide it For Him

Then again our prices are always reasonable. Suits at \$7.50, \$10, \$12.50 and \$15 that will at once appeal to the taste of the Swell Young Dresser. Did you ever notice how many Young Men come here for clothes? There's a reason for it.

**The Guthrie Clo. Co., The Clothiers,**  
MT. STERLING, KY.

## BIRTHS.

On March 30, 1905, to G. Egbert Coons and wife, of this city, a son—their second child.

### LAND STOCK AND CROP.

Green & Tarley shipped Monday about 200 head of 200 lb. hogs for which they paid 41¢ except one extra choice lot which cost them 5 cents.

Drink Wainscott's Pop. 38-1f.

### REMOVALS.

Since September 1, 1890, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Trimble have had rooms in the residence now owned and occupied by W. F. Hibler. On Monday they went to live with Mrs. Trimble's mother, Mrs. M. E. Cassidy.

Ed Hon and Ben McMichael have rented the Capt. W. T. Haven property on West High St. and have taken possession.

### Cold Air & Remedy.

"The cerebral spinal meningitis epidemic in New York and Chicago can be controlled by the simple aid of cold air breathed into the lungs." Dr. W. J. McCann, one of the leading physicians of Nebraska.

## Blunt Nunnelley & Priest

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—HEADQUARTERS FOR—

**Hardware - and - Queensware.**

**Chattanooga - Plows,**  
THE BEST AND STOUTEST MADE.

**American - Field - Fence,**

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**Brown - Manly - Cultivators,**

**Barlow Corn Planters,**

**Double Shovels, Garden Tools,**

**Old Reliable Mitchell Wagon,**

**Malleable - Steel - Ranges.**

## RELIGIOUS.

Thursday, April 20th, will be the Jewish Passover.

Rev. J. B. Moody, Baptist, well known here, is at Dawson Springs for his health.

Southern Baptist Women's Missionary Union will meet in Kansas City May 11th.

Bishop Maes, of Covington, has directed that congregational singing be encouraged.

Next Sunday is Palm Sunday and will be celebrated by the Catholic and Lutheran Churches.

The Central Christian Church, of Lexington, on Sunday decided to use individual communion cups.

The appropriation from the Southern Presbyterian church for Korea this year amounts to \$22,035.

International Sunday-School Convention will be held June 22-27 at Toronto and fifty-two delegates will attend from Kentucky.

Southern Methodists will raise \$100,000 as an endowment fund, to be used in the support of old or disabled ministers of their church.

Rev. Dr. John R. Sampey, of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, will lecture at the Seven Hills Chalet, Owensboro, August 3-17.

The Christian Church Missionary Society, of which Rev. E. L. Powell, of Louisville, is president will send out 10 missionaries next September.

The Soul Winners, who began operation in the Cumberland mountains seven years ago with one missionary, and no money, now number seventy workers.

The Harrodsburg Christian Church, of which Rev. M. G. Buckner is pastor, has for the second time contributed \$600 for the support of their foreign missionary. Rev. E. S. Stevens, who is located at Akita, Japan.

The April open session of the Young Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held Sunday evening, April 15, in the Baptist Church. Leader, Miss Elizabeth Wyatt; subject, High License. The services will begin at 6:30.

Union evangelistic services every evening this week at the Baptist Church. Time of beginning 7:30. Rev. H. G. Turner, of the Methodist Church, will do the preaching and the choir of the city will furnish the music.

A revival meeting has been in progress at the Paris, Ill., Christian church, conducted by Rev. Seville. Up to Monday night of last week there had been 523 additions to the congregation. On the preceding Sunday at the two services there were 41. Up to Saturday morning there had been 558 additions to the church.

The Union Evangelistic meetings conducted last week at the First Presbyterian Church were really enjoyable. The preaching was from a gifted man and the doctrines could be accepted by all denominations. The meetings continue this week and will be at the Baptist Church. Rev. H. G. Turner, of the Methodist Church, doing the preaching.

The Rev. Dr. Wallace Radcliffe, pastor of the New York-avenue Presbyterian church, of Washington City, probably will be called to the pulpit of the Fourth-avenue Presbyterian church, Louisville. He will be recommended by the officers of the church at a congregational meeting April 23. Dr. Radcliffe is one of the foremost men of the Presbyterian ministry in the United States.

Broadway Baptist church, of Louisville, Sunday morning was the scene of a unique Sunday-school service—"Roll Call." This was the first of such services held in the church. The members of the Sunday-school—508 answered to the roll call—were massed, and the graduation in age—men of full stature, women of perfected womanhood, striplings and maidens down to the little ones, barely able to lip the first teachings of Christ's truths. The enrollment is 602, and the increase in fifteen months have been 300 per cent. The pastor, the Rev. Dr. Carter Helm Jones, preached an appropriate sermon from the text: "Rejoice that your names are written in heaven," after which the various classes responded to the roll call, each rising in its place.

The Baptists will open a Theological Seminary in Suatun, China. Henderson Methodist Church will celebrate its golden jubilee on May 7.

More than 200,000 Russian Baptists are preparing to come to America.

The American Sunday School Union is striving for 1,000,000 new scholars for 1905.

Wilmington Methodist Conference dismissed one preacher and suspended another for dealing in stocks.

Northern Baptist Women Missionary Societies will meet at Boston April 19th and 20th and at Minneapolis April 25-27.

Mr. Andrew Carnegie has offered to give the last million of dollars of a \$25,000,000 fund for superannuated Methodist ministers. When this fund has been collected and invested the sick and aged ministers may never think of that trip over the hill to the poor house.

When in need of wall paper, window shades, lace curtains, furniture polish and floor wax, have E. L. Brockway bring samples to your home. 37-1f.

## THE SICK.

Butler Carrington's condition is very critical.

Harry Lithcum, who has been sick for a month, is able to be at his place of business.

Mrs. G. W. Anderson who has been seriously ill at her home near this city is very much improved.

Mrs. G. W. Hainline, who has been seriously sick, is very much better and is in fair way to recover.

Mrs. Druella Lyle, aged 78 years, received a hard fall Sunday and has been helpless ever since. The family thought she was paralyzed but the doctor thinks not.

Maj. G. M. Hampton, of Moorefield, is very low at the home of his daughter, Mrs. P. B. Turner. On account of his age, 87, there is very little hopes of recovery.

Mrs. C. S. Fowler, who is at hospital in Lexington and who has had a very large tumor removed, has passed the crisis and her chances for recovery are very flattering.

Brunner is the Shoe Man. 39-3f.

### IMPROVEMENTS.

Workmen are removing the debris for the erection of the new I. O. O. F. building where Masonic Temple was burned.

A new two-story front is being built to the business house occupied by Lindsay & Rodman.

Extensive improvements are now in progress on the Mt. Sterling National Bank building.

Wanted at Once a Small House.

I want to rent a small cottage. D. C. GORMAN, Advocate Office.

### WANTED! WANTED!

YOUR SCRAP IRON, LIVE GEESSE, HENS, ROOSTERS, TURKEYS AND EGGS, HIDES, FURS, TALLOW, BEESWAX, FEATHERS AND GINSENG, FOR WHICH I WILL PAY THE HIGHEST CASH PRICE. Oct. 19-6m E. T. REIS.

### Wants Him to Tell.

Tom White is still in Covington jail. His mother has been there several days wishing him to tell about the killing of Cockrill at Jackson. He says he knows nothing of the killing. She went yesterday to Lexington as a witness in the Hargis-Callahan case.

### Sewing Machines Cheap.

For 30 days R. F. Greene will sell ten \$60 White Machines, latest improved, at \$25 each. Phone 270. 38-1f

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I offer my services to the public in conducting all kinds of public sales. W. M. Cravens. 19-1f

## CECIL WILKES 2.28

(November 20, 1904, Over Wet Track.)

Sire of Cecil Todd, Yearling Record 1:17 1/2 Half Mile.

Cecil Wilkes has gone Halves in 1:06. Quarters in 31, Eighths in 15 Seconds. Has More Speed Now Than Last Year.

On December 8th, 1904, Cecil Wilkes was started for half mile record. Because of mud he was driven on extreme outside of track. He trotted first 8th in 15 1/4, finished quarter 33 seconds; pulled up because of harness getting out of fix. The 8th was 30, and quarter 60 feet long. Had nothing happened it is thought he would have made half in 1:10. The Eighth and quarter was caught by OFFICIAL JUDGES.

Red bay 16%, 1350 pounds, big styled, handsome, high acting stallion of great stamina, and finish. Own brother Eyelet 2:06 1/4, Gawan 2:16 1/4, Bruce Watson 2:19 1/4, Pridewood 2:20 1/4, Lady Idana 2:21, Ellawies 2:24 1/4, Maybree 2:26 1/4, and three others with trials from 2:21 1/4 to 2:30.

## PEDIGREE.

**CECIL WILKES, 2:28 1/4** By Gambetta Wilkes 2:19 1/4, sire of 162. Da Eye See (dam of 9 with records, 3 with trials, and two producers) By Nutwood 2:18 1/4 (sire of 171 and leading sire of producing dams). Second Dam Noonan (grand dam of 12) by St. Elmo 2:30. Third Dam Midnight (dam of 104) by Eye See 2:06 1/4 and 2:10 and others by Pilot Jr. 12. Fourth Dam Twilight by Lexington Fifth Dam Daylight by Imp. Glencoe. Sixth Dam Darkness by Wilkes Seventh Dam by Sir Richard. Eighth Dam by Ogles Oscar. Ninth Dam by Import Knowsley. Tenth Dam by Imported Diomed.

**CECIL WILKES** is of the noted "Gambetta Wilkes-Nutwood" combination that has produced 28 with records; two better than 2:10. This nick makes gam consistent race horses whose valor has been proven in many hard fought battles. It is one of, if not the greatest trotting combination.

The greatness of a trotting pedigree depends upon the blood composing it. No one, who is a student of breeding, will deny that CECIL WILKES is as well bred horse as lives. There are ABSOLUTELY none better bred.

His sire is leading sire of his age of 2:30 performers, leading sire of any age in number produced in 1903-4, and of 2:10 performers—13 in number.

The dam of CECIL WILKES is the greatest producing daughter of Nutwood 2:18 1/4, who is the leading sire of dams. His second dam, Noonan, is 1st, and 3rd dam of 42 with records; and his third dam is one of the greatest broodmares of her day, the first mare to produce a 2:10 trotter, and she and her half sister, Mr. Russell, are the only two mares who have four generations of 2:10 descendants. She has founded a very large family.

The other six crosses in pedigree are noted sires and dams of four-mile race horses blood. A foundation very valuable to build a trotting pedigree on.

"Some horses are born great, others achieve greatness, and others have greatness thrust upon them."

**CECIL WILKES** was born great, is a great looker, a great trotter, and a great sire of early speed. Last season Cecil Todd, a yearling son of his, distanced a field of 17 starters on a poor half mile track and took one-half mile record of 1:17 1/4; he trotted halves in 1:12, quarters in 35 seconds, and is expected to win the Kentucky Futurity this year and lower the two-year record of 2:14. Another yearling, same State (Kansas) is said to be equally as fast. J. S. Cowdery, Lyons, Kansas, owner of Cecil Todd 1:17 1/4, offered to race him against any yearling in the world at \$5,000 per side.

I feel certain of a record better than 2:08 for Cecil Wilkes and that a broken of his get will take records this season. There are horses as large and as fast as he is, and possibly some as well bred, and as fast, but when you look for one large, fine, well-bred and fast as Cecil Wilkes I don't believe he is to be found.

An offer of \$30,000 has been refused for him, made by C. P. & G. Cecil, Danville, Ky., upon the condition that he shows them a mile in 2:10. This offer stands good for this season.

## SIR KNIGHT

TWO-YEAR-OLD RECORD 2:41.

(On muddy track.)

Has gone miles in 2:33, quarters in 34 seconds. Can now trot in 2:25. Red Bay, 4-year-old, 15 1/2%, 1,150 pounds stallion, of great substance, style and beauty. Many pronounce him a show horse. Own brother to the sensational yearling, Cecil Todd (3/4) 1:17 1/4, who was also unbeaten in show ring.

**SIR KNIGHT** is sired by Cecil Wilkes 2:28 1/4. First dam Alice Todd Knightwood 2:29 1/4. Second Dam Mawdway by El Mahdi 2:24 1/4. Third dam Magic 2:33. Fourth Dam Cleo (dam of Oima 2:23 1/4) by Berkley's Nel Forrest, as then Thoroughbred.

Stallions should be staked by the season; it will be better for all concerned in order to encourage that manner of business I am going to stand

## CECIL WILKES 2.28 1/4

At \$10 Cash for Season, \$18 to Insure, and \$28 for Live Foal.

## SIR KNIGHT 2.41

At \$8 Per Season, \$10 to Insure, and \$20 for Live Foal.

The Season means from April 1st to June 15th.

This will probably be the last season for Cecil Wilkes in this section, as no year I feel certain that his service will command \$100 or more and he will be taken to a section where the mares justify the paying of such a fee. In some sections would fill his book this year at \$50 but mares here are not good enough to justify such a fee. Best of care for mares but no responsibility.

The hospitality of Maple Hill Stock Farm will be extended to visitors who wish to see the horses. His book is now almost full. Nominations from several counties received this early.

**W. E. BEAN, MANAGER,**  
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## PERSONAL.

D. Anderson, of Stanton, was on Monday.

John Naper, of Powell county, a caller on Thursday.

Thos. Turner, of New Orleans, visiting here last week.

Master Henry Gunn is in Lexington visiting his aunt, Mrs. Jane Key.

Dev. M. G. Buckner came on Friday and accompanied his wife on home.

Ev. H. R. Laird and wife, of Petersburg, visited their son, Dr. M. Laird, this week.

Mrs. C. H. Loveland and child, and niece, Miss Froma, of Clay were in this city Monday.

Miss Leora Jeffries returned Sunday night from a very pleasant excursion trip through the South.

Henry R. Thomas, who is at K. U., spent Saturday and day with his parents here.

M. Pieratt and wife, of Ezel, on Saturday, returning with daughter, Mrs. Chas. Duf.

Miss Ida Marx, of Lexington, and her sister, Mrs. H. M. Gunn, Friday evening until Sunday noon.

English Anderson has returned Asheville, N. C., where he to see his wife who is sick, improving.

T. Fitzpatrick, Jr., left on Monday for Newport, in Eastern sea, where he goes for the health of his health.

Albert Richie, of Chicago, has been in the city the past week as the guest of his stepfather, Mrs. Margaret Tyler.

C. C. Rupert, of Kansas City, who East stopped in our city, manager of an oil and pipe company with a large capital.

Wm. VanAntwerp gave a party Saturday afternoon for his grand-son, Howard VanAntwerp, Jr. About twelve of his friends were present and had time.

By Bourbon Chief, Wood-Todd's Cripple, and other good are being bred to The Victor, rest, and by Ray Moss.

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## DEATHS.

**PUNCH.**—The remains of Capt. Pat Punch, interred at Paris, Ky., were brought to this city and buried on Thursday in St. Thomas Cemetery.

**LEDGIDE.**—On last Friday at her home in Frankfort, Miss Minnie Ledgide died from a throat trouble, aged twenty-three years. She was the youngest sister of Mrs. M. R. Hainline, of this city. She was a woman of a lovely Christian character. Funeral service was conducted by her pastor, Rev. M. B. Adams, of the Baptist Church, and remains were placed in the Frankfort Cemetery to await the coming of her Lord. Mr. Hainline and wife were with her when she died.

**MOBERLY.**—On last Friday afternoon Mr. C. R. Moberly, one of our oldest and most highly esteemed citizens, departed this life, aged eighty-four years. His funeral service was held at the Baptist Church Sunday morning, April 9, at 10 o'clock, Rev. J. R. Hobbs, pastor, delivering the sermon, after which his remains were buried at Macphail Cemetery with honors from the Odd Fellows, of which organization he had been an active member for about fifty-five years and was at the time of his death a member of Watson Lodge No. 32, and was a charter member of this lodge. He was a son of Thomas and Sallie Moberly. Mrs. Moberly was Miss Sallie Grubbs, a Madison county woman, and was sister of Mrs. Nancy Grubbs, who was the mother of Thomas Grubbs and Mrs. Sarah Wain. Mr. Moberly was born in Kettie county in 1821 and came to this county with his parents in 1835 and lived and died on the farm which came to him as a legacy from his father. He married Miss Eliza Taylor, who with children, Lyn, Misses Sallie, Bessie and Minnie survive him. Mr. Moberly was a prosperous business man and had justly merited the confidence of all men whom he had met by being prompt, honest and sincere in all his business relations. No man counted for more than he as an arbitrator of differences between men, in the divisions of lands and when from some cause friends had become alienated it was his desire to bring them together and restore friendship. As an advisor he was valuable, and for the young man he always had a word of encouragement. As a former he was careful and to the men under him considerate. He was a liberal contributor to the causes of the Baptist Church. By his death an honorable citizen, indulgent father and affectionate husband has gone out. The sympathy of all Christian people is extended to the family so deeply bereaved.

It will pay you to buy your shoes at J. H. Brunner's. 39-3t.

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## MARRIAGES.

DUDLEY-STEVENS.

W. W. Dudley and Miss Maude Stevens, of Paris, were married at Georgetown on Sunday.

SHERBURN-HOON.

On Saturday, April 8, in Flemingsburg Mr. Gay Shroat, of Owingsville, was married to Miss Lutie Hoon, of Sherburne. The groom is the son of J. R. Shroat, formerly of this county and city. He recently left his farm near Sharpburg and accepted a clerkship with Goodpastor & Patterson at Owingsville. He is an excellent and worthy young man. The bride's mother lives at Sherburne but she has spent her girlhood days in Mrs. Fannie Talbot's school at Sharpburg. Arrangements had been made and guests invited for her marriage on last Sunday to a young man from Carlisle, but she decided to marry Mr. Shroat.

When in need of flowers leave your order with Gertrude McNamara, agent for Honaker, the Lexington florist. Satisfaction guaranteed. Prices reasonable. 39-3t.

## Miserable Conditions.

Of body and mind, always result from a torpid liver, which leads to bile poisons being absorbed into the blood, and poisoning all the nerves and tissues. This dreadful state, some of the symptoms of which are headache, bitter taste, nausea, lack of appetite, yellow complexion, constipation, etc., can be quickly cured by taking Dr. Caldwell's (laxative) Syrup Pepsin. It relieves the strain on your liver, relaxes the tightened bowels, purifies the blood, strengthens the stomach, and makes it as clean as a whistle. The result is perfect health, and freedom from pain and discomfort. Try it. Sold by W. S. Lloyd at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails. 39-3t.

## Locust Pests.

A visitation of "seventeen-year locusts" is promised for this year. The advance guard, to the prediction of H. Garman, of Lexington, State Entomologist, will arrive next month. The territory over which the winged host will spread embraces Kentucky.

Reuben Harper bought for \$1825 the Walter Harper cottage on Mayville street.

## Eggs for Sale.

I have Brady and Bright's strains of barred Plymouth rock chickens and will sell 15 eggs for 75¢ or 45 eggs for \$2 delivered in Mt. Sterling.

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## Great Activity.

Is shown without any disagreeable after-effects, by Dr. Caldwell's (laxative) Syrup Pepsin, in going to the seat of your trouble, when you are a victim of constipation, biliousness, headache, indigestion, dizziness, etc. It gently but firmly drives out the poisons that are causing your illness, and braces up all your internal organs to do their proper work. Try it. Sold by W. S. Lloyd at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails. 39-3t.

## FISHING TACKLE.

The New Reel, Minnow Seines and Buckets, Trot Lines, Staging Seine Twine, Hooks, Lines, Sinkers, Corks, Etc. Everything in the Sporting Line at

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## Hand Cut Off.

At Camps sawmill at Salt Lick Mr. Ora Vice, who was oiling machinery, had his hand cut off by a saw.

## Wishes To Please.

The readers of the ADVOCATE have seen announcement of the Millinery Openings in this city and many called to see the attractive patterns at Mrs. K. O. Clarke's. The latest are found there. Her display was a source of pleasure to the many who called.

## No Quarter.

The evils which always follow after indigestion, biliousness or constipation will give no quarter. Better fight them to a finish with Dr. Caldwell's (laxative) Syrup Pepsin. It is a weapon against these dangerous diseases, which will give you quick relief and permanent cure. Sold by W. S. Lloyd at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails. 39-3t.

Anderson Alfrey has sold his cottage on Richmond street to Albert Reed.

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Assets, Jan. 1, 1904	\$193,777,433.29
General Surplus	7,276,778.78
Income in 1904	36,711,149.67
Div'ds Paid to Policy-holders, 1904	6,340,482.63
Paid to Policy-holders	174,474,621.67
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Your carpets and rugs need cleaning. I can make your old carpets look like new. Give me a call.  
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## Not Hurt.

The temperature in this section on last Friday night was at a freezing point. Some early vegetables and budding fruit were destroyed but the damage is not by any means considered serious. It may prove a benefit in that the heavy budding has been thinned so that the remaining fruit will grow larger and become more matured.

My time and attention is given to shoes. Call and see me.  
39-3t. J. H. Brunner.

Wm. Reese regulates the Court-house clock this year. Last year the hands on two faces did not agree.

## Court Day.

Monday will be Court day and a large crowd will be here. Mt. Sterling is always a live business town and on that day she will show her accustomed April court-day business. The market places will most likely be filled with cattle, hogs and sheep. There will also be many mules and horses on sale. In addition the annual Horse Show will come off. Among them will be Wyatt & Thompson's fine ones. Gillespie has two beauties of fine records. Letton Bros. with Harry Cromwell. Combined in this horse is the blood of three of the greatest show horses, Harrison Chief, Joe Downing and Harrison Chief—See him. Mr. Letton's Horses can be seen at Herriot's stable. Bean's fine trotters; Moss' good one; Bacon's Bow Bean; G. W. Hainline's and many others.

## Going to Blossom?



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## Verdict of \$30,000.

W. S. Barnes, of Lexington, was granted a judgment of above amount against Long Island Railroad Co. in New York for damages to horses 3 years ago.

## Base Ball.

The Mt. Sterling High School base ball team won its second victory Saturday afternoon, at North Middletown. The score was twelve to seven. This score was made on the opponent's own ground and beats the score (10 to 6) of the former game with this same team which was made on the home grounds. This means that the team did much better playing, and shows marked advance. The team report a good time and fair treatment. Several friends from Mt. Sterling accompanied the school boys.

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### GOOD NEWS.

Many Mt. Sterling readers have heard it and profited thereby.

"Good news travels fast," and the thousands of bad back sufferers in Mt. Sterling are glad to learn that prompt relief is within their reach. Many a lame, weak and aching back is had no more, thanks to Doan's Kidney Pills. Our citizens are telling the good news of their experience with the Old Quaker Remedy. Here is an example worth reading:

Alex Talbott, grocer, of Henderson and 8th Streets, Paris, Ky., says: "From lifting a platform in my tobacco shed I strained myself across the small of my back. The least cold I contracted settled in my kidneys causing severe pains, and the kidneys secretions were much discolored and irregular. Having doctored greatly but without gaining a cure I had almost believed my case to be incurable, when a friend advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills, so I procured a box. I have taken the pills with such good results as to make me most grateful for the good words of my friend and also for the great curative powers of the remedy."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

### What Did the Painter Say

When you told him you were going to use Green Seal Liquid Paint? He knew that he wouldn't have the job of painting your house again for a long time. But you knew a good thing so you got Green Seal Liquid Paint, didn't you? It's on sale now at Thos. Kennedy's.

### The Winning of Jim Bradley's Bride.

foster father of the young woman there existed an ancient feud; the former being an enemy to every scheme attending toward the advancement of his race. Handsome Bear at once made open warfare against Red Tail and Bradley. The trouble came to a crisis quicker than the young pale face had imagined, although he held himself in readiness for any clever coup his enemy might wish to play upon him. But the workings of the Indians were entirely in opposition to established methods of defeating an enemy. They lent themselves to the scheme with a whole heart. When Red Tail convened the winter term of the Indian council, he granted to Bradley the lease of a 10,000 acre tract of rich valley land. There was strong opposition to this move, not only from Handsome Bear and his followers but other Indians who were afraid that the white man might gain an opening wedge, forcing them from their reservation. An Indian who does not fully understand is a most credulous individual. But old Red Tail in a stirring speech before the council, succeeded in partially convincing his followers of the good to come out of such a lease. He brought evidence to show the good already done by young Bradley while in the employ of the N. Z. Ranch. In a measure his talk was convincing. Bradley resigned his position with Abner Wilson and undertook his new duties. He urged Tookah to marry him then, but she told him she had promised to attend school another year and could not well break her promise. She said she wanted him to get a start in his new work before she chose him as a man entering upon such duties was not prepared to devote his time to a bride. He demurred in positive tones, but she refused to accede to his wishes and returned to the eastern finishing school, promising to return heart whole and fancy free.

Events were fast reaching a crisis in the Osage country. Bradley

was the cause of the whole trouble, although a principle was involved in the quarrel which centered about him. It was whether the Indians were to advance or go backward, whether they were to become farmers or allow the cattlemen to remain in undisputed possession of their country. The clash between the two factions was expected any time. December days soon passed. The holidays brought no cheer to Bradley. He did not care to send for his parents under existing conditions of unrest, neither did he apprise them of the trouble brewing. It was the coming of the spring session of the Council, and on the first day of its assembling, charges of treason were preferred against Red Tail. He was accused of granting favors to a pale face, of leasing land of which he had no right to dispose. Handsome Bear prosecuted the charges. It was understood that the affair was to be decided in a horribly brutal and savage manner; by the test of the sun dance. Handsome Bear had offered to go through this terrible self-agonizing test to vindicate himself in the eyes of his people and show them that the Great White Father was on his side; that of alleged right and justice. The Brushwater clan were superstitious and it was firmly believed, even by Red Tail himself, if the powerful physique of Handsome Bear withstood the test, the decision would go against the chief and it would not be well for either himself or Bradley. Either or both of them might be given death in a most horrible manner.

As the time approached for the great dance every Indian made ready to attend. On Medicine creek, far from Red Fork and the agency, a secluded spot had been chosen where the dance was to occur. A thousand Indians drew near. Council had adjourned and all of the wise men sat in judgment. The topees were scattered in disorder upon the grassy arena. The first touch of spring had come and all nature was in her prettiest dress. The Indians were restless. They moved through the camp in

silence. Then the crucial time arrived. It was the morning when the great test was to be made.

Handsome Bear, with a war bonnet falling from his head to below his knees, looked every inch a leader. He appeared naked and his skin was sleek from careful rubbing. Beneath the skin one could see a powerful play of muscles. He moved about singing

"The father will descend,  
The earth will tremble,  
Everybody will rise again,  
Stretch out their hands."

And he continued to walk around majestically, swinging out his hands in dramatic action and humming snatches of sacred songs. Then two medicine men came forward. One grasped each strong arm and commenced rubbing hard two small spots on either breast. Bradley, Red Tail and their friends sat apart watching the performance in silence. It might mean death to them, the success of this dancer. The soft chanting of the medicine men caused a sympathetic murmur to run through the crowd. Directly they drew their little scalpels and made a deep incision in each breast. The blood did not flow. With the skill of surgeons they withdrew the sinews of the breast and placed behind the one of each breast a strong cord. The ends of this cord were tied to a strong pole set perpendicularly in the ground.

The dancer then started around the pole, and every few seconds he would lunge outward and cause the sinews to stretch until they drew him back as a wind gust would handle a straw. As he danced on for half an hour, never seeming to tire or suffer pain, it began to look as if he would succeed and wear out the cords without tearing the sinews or fainting from loss of blood or exhaustion. But at last the rope parted and the sinews did not break. He had lost. With a cry of rage he bounded from the dancing circle, turned and spoke in

pale face friends to defeat us. I am done talking."

The Indians were fairly crazy with excitement. Their eyes were bloodshot. Bradley was on the point of stepping into the dancing circle and surrendering his lease, that his friends might be vindicated, but Red Tail divined his intention and motioned him to keep back. With true stoicism of the race the old chieftain intended to die game, if at all.

A lull fell over the assemblage, like the silence of a mob waiting to fire the brand under a victim at the stake. It was an ominous silence, which might mean an outbreak at any moment. Then a noise was heard coming over the hillside. It was the patter of horses' feet upon the hard ground. A thousand pair of eyes turned away. On a foaming broncho sat a young woman, who was lashing her horse to its utmost speed. As she drew near the face could be discerned from amid a mass of waving hair. It was Tookah, the daughter of Red Tail. She rode to the center of the dancing circle. Casting her eyes about she gathered in a second the true situation, although she had learned of the dance from a friend who had written her. Bradley had never mentioned the episode in his letters. Standing in the saddle and casting her arms over the assemblage she began to speak:

"My friends, my people," she said in a voice so low and silvery, so soothing in tone that all forgot their anger and drew near to listen. "I come from the White Father, a messenger of peace? The words which Handsome Bear have spoken are hot and foolish words. My father is not always right, but in leasing this land to the pale face he has the approval of the White Father. When the White Father has spoken to us in the past we know it became true, but the Great Spirit, of whom Handsome Bear talks, has promised often, but we

written paper, a note setting forth the facts she had just recited and signed by the President of the United States. When she heard of the impending trouble she went to Washington and secured this edict, knowwise the powerful effect it would have upon her people, who despite their wild life and surroundings had great admiration for the White Father. The paper was passed to an interpreter and read to them in their own tongue. Then one by one the Indians bunched their topees in wagons and trekked through the falling dusk toward the agency, where a feast of meat was spread for them, by the cunning Tookah. After a conference with her father she and Bradley mounted their ponies and rode away toward Red Fork, followed by the procession of redskins. The hearts of the two young people were too full for utterance. It was the culmination of their chief ambition, it meant a great change in the habits of the Brushwater clan of the Osage, and a happy future for Bradley as a king of farmers. But there were other things dearer to him now.

"Tell me, dear heart," said Bradley, "why did you come out here and surprise us all so, and such an agreeable surprise, too?"

"I had a terrible fancy," she replied, drawing her pony near to his own, "that Handsome Bear was the son of the Indian who slew my mother, because he could not steal her from my father. I thought he would kill you in just the same way, and that is why I came. I knew of the meeting and thought it was opportune to plan a surprise, both to yourself and the people who were against you."

"I know now Tookah, why you are called the pale face goddess. But now I wonder if you are not going to marry me now and give up your old school days. You have enough education to suit me."

"You are just a bit tyrannical, Jim, but I guess I will have to accede to your demands."

At Red Fork that night while the Indians sat about the huge canopy spread by the agent, eating their beef and munching the bread, Jim and his sweetheart, accompanied by the happy Red Tail, sought out Father Maloney, and were married. "Now, inasmuch as you surprised me, I have a surprise for you, too," said Jim, after the ceremony had been performed. "My father and mother are coming out to live with us, but since we have to occupy the little house down in the valley, I guess they will have to find another. They are due to arrive tomorrow."

Jim and his bride did not go on their honeymoon then. It was not until after father and mother Bradley had arrived and were securely ensconced in a home for the remainder of their lives, and Jim had, with the aid of a dozen assistants, harvested a bountiful crop from his newly leased land, that they went away for a bridal tour. The success attending Jim's first few years among the Indians have never diminished, for to-day he is one of the richest farmers in Indian Territory. He attributes all to the cunning of his wife in their younger days.—Frisco Magazine.

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short gasps to the crowd:

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are growing worse every day. The White Father has sent the pale face among us to be treated as one of us. I know that he wants us to leave our lands. He says it is the best thing we can do. See, I have here the proof of my words, a letter from the White Father, approving all I have said."

She drew from her dress a type-